

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

May 19, 2026

WHEREAS, the Orange County District Attorney (OCDA) desires to administer the project designated "Victim Compensation Emergency Award Program" to be funded from funds made available through the State's Restitution Fund administered by the California Victim Compensation Board (CalVCB).

WHEREAS, the OCDA desires to continue, through Waymakers, to administer the Victim Compensation Program's Revolving Fund Account on behalf of the County of Orange to assist applicants who have an immediate need for payment of qualifying expenses (i.e., funeral/burial, relocation, crime scene clean-up, and other verified losses), where the applicant would suffer a substantial financial hardship without such emergency payments.

WHEREAS, CalVCB advanced the County of Orange \$40,000 during fiscal year 2023-2024 to establish a revolving fund to pay qualifying claims in accordance with Government Code Section 6504.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board does hereby:

1. Find that the proposed project is exempt from CEQA pursuant to 14 C.C.R. 15061(b)(3) because it does not impose a significant effect on the environment.
2. Find that pursuant to Section 711.4 of the California Fish and Game Code, the proposed project is exempt from the required fees as it has been determined that no adverse impacts to wildlife resources will result from the project.
3. Authorize the District Attorney or the Director of Administration to execute the Standard Agreement No. S26-027 with CalVCB for the Victim Compensation Program's Revolving Fund Account for the period from July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2029 to pay for qualifying expenses and exercise appropriate internal records over the issuance of funds and requests for reimbursement of funds from CalVCB to replenish this program's Revolving Fund Account.
4. Authorize the District Attorney, or the Director of Administration, to execute, on behalf of the County of Orange, any extensions or amendments to the Standard Agreement No. S26-027 with CalVCB that do not materially alter the terms of the agreement.
5. Authorize the Auditor-Controller to pay qualifying expenses that are allowed by CalVCB statutes, regulations, and policies.
6. Assure that the County of Orange assume any liability arising out of the performance of this Standard Agreement, including any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any and all contractors, subcontractors, materialmen, laborers and any other person, firm or corporation furnishing or supplying work services, materials or supplies in connection with the performance of the contract, and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged in the performance of this Standard Agreement. CalVCB disclaims responsibility for any such liability.